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Those desiring a profitable investment, should examine the merits of the

CITIZENS.

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LOCAL AGENTS.

A two-year-old son of Dr. F. B. Johns, of Lexington, swallowed a half dozen anti-constipation pills from the effects of which he died.

Secretary Hoke Smith has made a ruling upon settlement several thousand acres of land in Southern California, claimed by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

A case of cholera is reported to have developed on the German bark Helena, in port at Guaymas, Mexico, seven months out from Hamburg. The vessel is quarantined.

The Covington Board of Education passed an ordinance giving women over twenty-one years of age the right to vote for members of the board, and also the right to be elected to the board.

Baron Hastings, who has a seat in the House of Commons, and who moves in the exclusive set of the Prince and Princess of Wales, was fined fifty pounds in a London Police Court for insulting a young girl.

The Indiana State Prison School, at Jeffersonville, suffered a \$80,000 fire on Thursday. The fire broke out in the Cigarette Saddle-tree Company's shops, and for a time it looked like the entire prison would be destroyed. Many convicts aided in subduing the flames and none escaped.

A large number of representatives are absent from their sworn duty at Frankfort. Some of them are at home looking after their farming interests. Some are at Washington after pie, and others are away attending to other personal matters. They will return to Frankfort as soon as they can spare time from these urgent calls.

If a Lord insults a lady, even though he associates with the Prince of Wales' set, he must pay the penalty. Although a Lord, he is but a man. For so it was with George Manasse Ashley, who has a seat in the House of Commons as Baron Hastings. He was sentenced by the court to pay fifty pounds or be imprisoned for three months.

The contract for the building of the North Middletown College, has been let, and will be completed by Aug. 12, 1893, in time for the fall term. The Weekly Advocate advances that some of the citizens near home have as yet, failed to make a subscription for so laudable a cause. The debt, \$1500, is a small one and doubtless will be provided for before a foundation stone has been laid.

It has been discovered that \$2,000,000 has been paid out by the Pension Bureau under a ruling made in 1876, which is now said to have been erroneous, and the payments consequently illegal. The ruling was reversed by Assistant Secretary Bussey, but the fact that the money had been wrongfully paid out was carefully kept from the public by the Republican Administration. The light begins to search out these mouldy corners.

Rector Ahwardt, the notorious member of the Reichstag who several days ago declared he had in his possession papers to prove that Prince Bismarck, while Chancellor, conspired with certain Jewish bankers and threw into their hands vast sums of Government money, said to the Committee of Inquiry Friday, that these papers have been stolen from him. He begged the committee to keep his confession secret, but Chancellor Caprivi threatened to quit the committee if the request was granted.

CLEVELAND

Is President and marks the Way.

Kinamen Will Have Little Show For Preferment.

Republican Heads Are Fast Fading.

Maxwell, Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General, Is Ready For Work.

Several Thousand Resignations of Fourth-Class Postmasters to be Disposed of and More to Follow.

Washington, D. C. March 27. President Cleveland has done more popular thing since he assumed his high office than when he "jumped on," to use a bit of expressive slang, the head of the slinky serpent, nepotism, which had started to wriggling around entirely too promiscuously. He first took occasion to inform a distinguished Southern Senator who had appointed his son to be Clerk of the Senate committee of which he was lately made chairman, that in consequence of that appointment, indicating a desire to look out for his personal and family interests first of all, his recommendations had been much weakened. Next, he took a Western Congressman's breath away, when, as a clinching argument in favor of the appointment to office of one of his constituents, he said: "And he is a relative of yours, Mr. President," by saying: "That settles it. No relative of mine shall be appointed to office by me." He then gave that Congressman a short but comprehensive lesson on nepotism, which, if he is to say, he will never forget, if he lives a century. It is also safe to say that the head of the aforesaid slinky serpent will not be reared in any of the executive departments for four years to come, all of which is a decided gain for the country.

The executive department are being put upon a Democratic basis as rapidly as possible, and Republican chiefs of bureaus and divisions are being succeeded by Democrats as fast as the heads of the departments can select the new officials. Democratic economy is also being put into practical operations. Following Secretary Morton's order dismissing all the superfluous employees of the Department of Agriculture, came an order from Secretary Carlisle to the division chief of the Treasury Department, ordering the immediate dismissal of every employee not absolutely essential to keep up the work of the department. The Democratic Administration was voted into power to reduce the extravagant expenditures of the Government, and every member of it is fully determined that the wishes of the voters shall be carried out to the letter.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Maxwell, the gentleman who will wield the axe made famous by Vice-President Stevenson, is on deck and already hard at work. There are several thousand resignations of fourth-class postmasters on hand, and these will be disposed of before he begins the work of removing Republican postmasters.

Speaking of postmasters, Postmaster General Bissell stated to a delegation of Missouri Congressmen that the policy of the department concerning appointments had been misinterpreted by a certain class of newspapers. In the first place, it had been stated by these newspapers that the recommendations of Congressmen would count for nothing. As a refutation of that statement the fact was pointed out that not a single postmaster had yet been appointed who did not have the endorsement of his Congressman. While not disposed to ignore the Congressmen, Mr. Bissell said that the question of who should be postmaster should, in a measure at least, be decided by the people of the locality, who were more directly interested than anyone else, and that the wishes of the people, when expressed, would certainly be considered in making the appointments. Nobody is to be ignored. What the department wants is the co-operation of both the people and the Congressmen in the selection of such postmasters as will increase the efficiency of the postal service. Mr. Bissell also denounced as false the statement that women and editors are to be discriminated against in the selection of postmasters.

The number of nominations sent to the Senate this week is considerably ahead of any other single week. There have necessarily been some personal disappointments, but with the exception of the nominations of Burke and Hawkins to be United States Attorney and Marshal for Indiana, over which there was a little flurry, no adverse criticisms have been made of any of them by Democrats.

The Democratic caucus decided to elect the officers of the Senate at the present extra session, and nominated ex-Congressman E. M. R. Cox, of North Carolina, for Secretary; Richard J. Bright, of Indiana, for Sergeant-at-Arms, and Rev. W. H. Milburn, the blind preacher who has been Chaplain of the House for several terms, for Chaplain. The Republicans threaten to resort to filibustering to prevent an election of these officers, but it is believed they are only making a bluff to enable them to keep as many Republicans in the subordinate positions as possible.

Senator Harris, of Tennessee, has been elected President pro tempore of the Senate, but as Vice President Stevenson gives evidence of his intention to stick more closely to his duties than his predecessors have usually done, he will not be called on to preside over the Senate very often. So he will enjoy the honor, which is fully deserved, without having to do much work. There is no truth in the report that Senator Harris and the President had quarreled.

The Post office Removal.

Last week an order was received from the First Assistant Postmaster General to move the Mt. Sterling office from its present location to the site it occupied before the fire of last May. A protest was sent from here against such removal and orders promptly came from Washington to let matters stand as they are till an investigation is had.

The people generally are much more anxious about the removal of the Postmaster than the Post office. Let Democrats fill the offices under a Democratic administration.

Butcher Garrison, of Anderson, Ind., was heavily fined for selling pork that had been fattened on the flesh of dead horses, and Oren Munger at whose slaughter house the hogs were fed, was arrested on complaint of the health officer.

Mr. Harry Campbell, the gentlemanly merchant tailor, who is a real artist in his calling, has on hand some elegant suitings. Call to see him. He understands fully how to meet the wants of his customers. We know no tailor that sues out more tastefully stylish suits than does Mr. Campbell. He is now in receipt of one of the handomest lines of cloths that he has ever brought on. Don't take our word for it, but call and see what he has for his trade.

Packers of the Watts furnaces of Middleboro are on a strike.

Nathan Searce, of Shelby county, a prominent farmer, aged eighty years, died last week.

Ben. F. Stevens, of Hopkinsville, died of blood poisoning on his wedding day, March 24th.

The Annual Congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church today, at 10 o'clock, at the church.

Delaware, Ohio, has a population of 10,000, and of this number, 9,000 are church members.

George W. Moore is building an addition to his residence on Sycamore street.

The cruiser New York, just completed by the Cramps, has returned from her preliminary trial, in which she proved herself to be the fastest armored vessel in the world.

A. C. Wilson, the manager of a flourmill company at Tompkinsville, Ky., eloped with the young and handsome wife of Jas. Graven Sunday. Wilson is a married man with four children.

A yard engine and two cabooses were wrecked in the yards of the Cincinnati Southern railroad at Somerset, Ky., Sunday afternoon. Yardman Fletcher B. Gray was killed and Brakenen Moon and Tucker were badly hurt.

President Cleveland has asked Secretary Gresham to prepare a statement of the existing negotiations of this government, under the McKinley tariff law, with Venezuela, Haiti and Colombia, and he is likely soon to modify the proclamation of President Harrison, imposing discriminating duties on coffee and hides from those countries.

The Government of Spain, through the State Department, has officially tendered to the United States as a gift the repurchased flag ship of Columbus, the "Santa Maria," now some where in the Gulf of Mexico, en route to this country to participate in the naval review and for a part of the Spanish exhibit at Chicago.

A telegram last week from Ocala, Fla., announced the intelligence that Mrs. Tins, Turner was in a dying condition. Later messages stated that she was improving, and the latest news, we are glad to say, is that she is decidedly better. Her son, Ben R. Turner, responded to the telegram by leaving on the first train for Ocala.

On last Friday evening, Jamie Rogers was coming in from Howard's Mill, where he had been to call on some young ladies, and when a short distance out, he was stopped by two men, one taking hold of the horse and the other approaching him. He ordered them to leave, and refusing he took a pistol from the buggy and fired twice, frightening them away.

Sheff J. S. Cline, of Pike county, Ky., having in charge five murderers reached Catlettsburg Sunday en route to Frankfort. Three of the five are sentenced for life. Two, John and Levi Wright, are mere boys, being aged respectively eleven and twelve years. Whatever may be the outcome of the prison muddle it should be the hope of every citizen in the State that in the future provision could be made for the incarceration of such children as these in buildings separate from those imprisoning the hardened cut-throats and thieves.—Courier-Journal.

Clark County Relieved.

A special from Winchester says: The bill which has been passed by the legislature allowing hundreds of felonies cases growing out of the famous French-Eversole feud, and which were brought here from Perry county on account of the state of anarchy in that section, to be sent back there, meets with the approval of people here, inasmuch as it frees their courts from a mass of cases which effectually prevented anything being done in the way of local business. B. F. French, leader of one of the factions, lives here. John Eversole, leader of the other, lives at Booneville, Owensley county.

See Read's late novelties in Glassware. 35-2t

WE HANDLE

The Oliver Chilled Plow and all repairs for it.

WE HANDLE

The Keystone Disc Harrow, which has double lever and works as well on hill side as on level ground.

WE HANDLE

The Malta Double Shovel, at a price that an inferior plow will cost.

WE HANDLE

A full line of Doubletrees, Single-trees, Harrow Teeth, Plow Plates, Lappings, Laplinks and etc.

WE HANDLE

The Leader Cook Stove, which is acknowledged as good as any made.

CALL AND SEE US.

We will sell you the best at the best prices.

W. P. OLDHAM & CO.

On Sunday morning, at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Garrison, Rosa Garrison aged 25, died from the effects of poison taken with suicidal intent. She came to town on Tuesday and procured arsenic, then went home and deliberately prepared herself by a bath and a change of clothes and took the fatal dose. The family soon discovered her condition and summoned a physician who did all that was possible to save her. A note was found where she had placed it, telling that life had become too heavy a burden for her to bear.

The lesson of her life is a awful one. Like many another girl before her, she had made the fatal mistake of stepping aside from the path of virtue and she reaped the fearful consequences of the false step. The grief-stricken father and mother could not forget the love for their child and when, some two weeks ago, she came back home, the love that is stronger than sin, shame or death would not turn her away but welcomed her back to the foldside again. She could not carry the burden longer and so the friendless soul clamored for an escape from the terrors of conscience. She sought escape through death. Who shall judge her? The loving and merciful Christ challenged the self-righteous Jews to condemn one, like her, in that long ago, and they shrank away conscience-stricken and abashed. Shall we be more righteous than they were these?

To the aged and sorrow-stricken parents the sympathy of the community goes out. He has lain on them a burden so heavy that they can scarcely bear it. May his grace be sufficient for them in this hour.

A special from Atlanta, Ga., says that the little town of Cartersville is all torn up, because Rev. Charles Dobbs Baptist, and Rev. Sam Jones Methodist (the noted evangelist), are carry inguists for each other.

"For a year" past the air around Cartersville has been laden with stories of an unsavory nature, in which prominent families have been victims. This resulted in the sending of anonymous letters to Mr. Dobbs and others. Dobbs placed the blame on the Rev. Mr. Mashburn. An investigation conducted by Methodist preachers resulted in Mashburn's acquittal. This did not please Dobbs, and he has been talking so freely lately that the Sam Jones, whose family has suffered from the rumors afloat in the Methodist church last Sunday night denounced Dobbs as only Sam Jones can, intimating that he would be ready to meet Dobbs next day. This coming to Dobbs' ears, he fortified himself with a pistol, and Mr. Jones was equally ready for what might happen.

Methodist and Baptist have ceased speaking to one another, and the town is in a fever of excitement, crowds following the two preachers every time they make a public appearance."

Col. Elliott Fitch Shepard, of the New York Mail and Express, died suddenly at his home in New York Friday. His death was wholly unexpected. He was under the influence of ether preparatory to an examination for suspected stone in the bladder this physician said his death was caused by edema.

Elliott Fitch Shepard, was born in Jamestown, Chautauque county, N. Y., July 25, 1833. He was educated at the University of the City of New York, admitted to the bar in 1858, and for many years, practiced in New York City. In 1861 and 1862, Alde-Camp on the staff of Gov. Edwin Morgan, who was in command of the Department of Volunteers at Elmira, N. Y., and aided in organizing, equipping and forwarding to the field nearly 5,000 troops. He was instrumental in raising the Fifty-first New York regiment, which was named for him—Shepard Rifles. He was the founder of the New York State Bar Association in 1876, which has formed the model for the organization of similar associations in other States. In March, 1888, he purchased the New York Mail and Express.

Owingsville's indebtedness is \$3,376.82.

The Carlisle Mercury wants an electric railway to connect Carlisle with Sharpsburg and the Sharpsburg World is willing. Good! Then we will connect Mt. Sterling with Sharpsburg in the same way.

At Lick Skillet, A. Suleam was making an exhibit of his bears when one got loose and seriously injured a young lad. The people, for this cause, killed the bear and would have dashed foully with its owner, but he hastened unceremoniously away.

Joseph Houslin a prominent young business man of Bloomfield, Ky., shot to death his best friend, Albert Murphy, on Wednesday evening. Houslin was ill of typhoid fever and in his delirium procured a revolver, fired at his father and Murphy coming on the scene he shot and instantly killed him. Both were prominent and exemplary business men.

A wild storm of unusual severity and wide extent, visited the South on Thursday afternoon and night; whilst the Northwest caught it, at the same time in the shape of a blizzard, driving snow, hail and sleet with fearful effect. Much damage was done to property and some lives were lost in the South; Kelly, Tupelo and Tuscola in Mississippi suffered much; in Nashville, Tenn., it hit hard; Bowling Green, Ky., also received a visit from the unwelcome stranger. Telegraph wires all over the section visited were blown down and for a time communication was cut off.

Military Opening
All the novelties of the season, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week at
T. P. Martin & Co's.

Paints and Oils.
Fine Tobaccos.

TRIMBLE BROS., WHOLESALE GROCERS.

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MT. STERLING, KY.

THE ADVOCATE.

Suit Court, of Menefee county, is adjourned at Frenchburg.

Born on the 27 inst., to A. T. Thompson and wife, a son.

Mr. E. L. Dawson delivered a temperance lecture at Howard's Mill last Sunday.

Mr. A. L. Fox has sold G. W. Moore 3 acres of land near Old Fort, for \$1,000 cash.

Jacob Shelton sold last week 24,000 pounds of tobacco in Louisville which netted him \$9.60 at home.

School trustees will please call at the County Superintendent's office and get their census blanks.

Dogs are killing sheep in Bourbon county for their wool. Dogs are killing them here for their meat.

A collection for missions was taken at the Baptist church Sunday, amounting to \$124.25.

The sale of horses belonging to the estate of J. D. Cockrell will take place in this city Wednesday April 5th.

William Bros., Contractors and Builders, of this city, are in receipt of an invitation to bid on a handsome Opera House, to be erected at Portsmouth, Ohio.

Died, on Monday night, March 20, of consumption, Mrs. Robert Light, aged 19 years. Funeral was preached by Rev. A. J. Arrick, of the First Presbyterian church.

Ed Williams, Architect, has completed the plans for a very handsome dwelling, that Mayor R. C. Lloyd will erect on his property just outside the city limits, on the Winchester pike.

B. F. Robinson is in the market with the superior grade of brick and the best coal. Read his advertisement and then see him at his place of business; Sycamore and Locust streets.

The Chiles-Thompson Grocery Co. is prepared for the approaching summer. They have just received one of O. B. Whitman's butter coolers with sufficient capacity to keep fresh and cool butter, lard, fruits, melons, etc.

The types last week made us announce the sale of horse belonging to the estate of J. D. Cockrell, by Mr. G. T. Fox Administrator, for the wrong date. Remember the date of the sale, Wednesday, April 5th.

Last Wednesday evening, James Grisham, on Mayville Street, lost his balance and falling broke both bones on one of his legs, just above the ankle. He is suffering great pain from the injury, and it may prove very serious.

The Board of Supervisors in session last week, have adjourned to meet next Monday, and will be in session three days. They will send out 187 notices to parties to appear before them, and show why cause the valuation of their property should not be increased.

Mr. J. A. J. Lee, the well-known banker and Christian gentleman, died at his residence in Owingsville, on Sunday night, of inflammatory rheumatism, aged 78 years. Mr. Lee was one of the best known men in this section and bore an unblemished reputation.

Elder George Darsie, of Frankfort, began a series of meetings at the Christian Church in this city last night. A cordial invitation is extended by the congregation to all in the community to come out and hear the pulpit orator. Polite visitors will be on hand to see that all who attend are provided with comfortable seats.

At the last meeting of the City Council, Mr. S. W. Gaitskill was appointed Health Officer to inspect, and superintend the cleaning of all premises in the city. Mr. Gaitskill is aided with authority by the Council to see that the needed work shall be done, to put all alleys, cellars, yards, in proper condition. Mr. Gaitskill will call at every house, and if he is well to promptly beat his drum, thereby, saving costs and the duty of Let everybody clean up.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. John Adair and wife of Lebanon, Ind., are visiting Robt. Coons and wife near Ewington.

Mr. B. J. Welch and family, of Lexington, spent Sunday with the family of J. C. King, on Mayville Street.

Mr. Minor Smith, of Lexington spent Sunday in the city. Mr. Pat Panch, who has been on the sick list for some days, is better. Mrs. Charles A. Turner is on the sick list.

Mrs. Lizzie Corbett, who has been seriously ill for some weeks, is decidedly better.

Mrs. D. J. McNamara, of Covington, who has been visiting Mrs. John Corbett, will return home this week.

Mrs. A. R. Mason and children of Haskell City Texas are visiting her father's family, J. W. Fasset of Flat Creek.

Mr. S. J. Ratliff and wife of Bath are visiting the family of J. W. Ratliff on Harrison Avenue.

William Hon is in Louisville this week to sell his tobacco crop. Col. J. S. Hart will attend the funeral of J. A. J. Lee at Owingsville to-day.

Dr. J. L. Catlett, wife and daughter of Owingsville spent Saturday with friends in the city.

Mrs. W. A. Hill, Jr., and son Frank have returned from a visit of several weeks to relatives in Paris and Carlsruhe.

Mrs. E. Everett has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Wells, of Fortworth, Texas.

J. E. Queen, of Lexington, was in the city Sunday. Miss Bessie Lane attended the Duke entertainment last week at Lexington and from there went to Woodford to visit her sister, Mrs. Robt. McConnell.

A Hoffman the insurance man is in Knoxville, Tenn., on business this week.

Ex-Chief Justice, W. H. Holt of Frankfort is in the city on Legal business.

W. T. More and wife, Mrs. Geo. E. Coleman, Mrs. C. D. Grubbs, Mrs. E. Jameson, Mrs. N. H. Trimble, Mrs. Robt. Gatewood, Harlan Turner, Misses Mamie Reed, Ella and Nancy Trimble, Bessie Riddell, Annie Sanges, Mary Smith, Mary Owings, O. B. Whitman's butter coolers, Katie Grubbs, Brooks Magowan, Sarepta Ewing, Messrs Robt. Winn, C. T. Turner, J. W. Sewell, Lawrence White and Richard Panch, attended the Duke concert at Lexington Wednesday evening.

Miss Sallie Berkly and Miss Maggie Peters were the guests of Mrs. H. C. Graves last week.

Hon. D. W. Tribble of Madison county was visiting in the city Monday.

Elder W. T. Tibbbs is able to be out again after a severe attack of Grip.

Mrs. Annie Honness and Miss Lottie Quisenberry are engaged as salesladies in the large new store of T. P. Martin and Co.

Miss Bettie Roberts is still at her post as saleslady at T. P. Martin & Co. and smiling on her friends.

Miss Agnes Walsh, millinery artist with her corps of assistant trimmers will have some elegant patterns to show you at the "Easter opening" this week, at T. P. Martin & Co.

Mr. John J. Dickey editor of the Jackson Hustler was in the city last week.

Miss Dorothy Bur-Ton has arrived at Mrs. K. O. Clarke's military establishment. She is quite artistic, and brings with her the very latest Parisian styles.

Mr. E. D. McCoun of Louisville was visiting the family of R. M. Burbridge on High street, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Hugh Gormley, the veteran saddler, of Shelbyville, is with Charles Rees.

Dr. W. R. Thompson visited his father's family, Malcolm Thompson, Scott county, last week.

Mrs. Janie Turley, who has been quite sick, is improving slowly.

Fashion spreads her treasures in gorgeous array in the complete stock of spring millinery at Mrs. K. O. Clarke's, where there is every novelty to please the most fastidious taste. She cordially invites inspection of her nobby and beautiful display prior to purchasing.

Reasonable.

If you need a new pad or seat in your old saddle, call and see us and we will give you a good job in every particular, and charge you a reasonable price.

CHAS. REES, the Saddler.

Kennedy Bros.,

The - Prescription - Druggists -
Pure Drugs, Medicines, &c.
School Books, School Supplies, Pencil Pens, &c. All Toilet Articles. Also Paints, Oils and Varnishes.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Grassy Lick.

W. H. Ramsey and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with the family of W. Ramsey, in Winchester.

John Peed, of Bracken county, has rented of Clayton Howell a portion of Mrs. Nancy Thompson's farm, and moved last week.

J. H. Oldham, Jno. Turner, E. S. Cunningham, J. M. Adamson and J. H. Mason attended the Louisville tobacco market last week. Their tobacco brought satisfactory prices.

The following parties bought cattle last Court day in Mt. Sterling: W. B. Greene, 20 head of good feeders, @ 4 cents, weight about 1,000 lbs.; J. H. Mason, 30 head of mixed steers, @ 2 1/2 to 3 cents, average about 600 lbs.; Jas. Green and sons bought several head @ 3 to 3 1/2 cents.

Jas. W. Mason sold Claude Holly 27 head of sheep and lambs at \$5.00 per head.

Died, on last Thursday, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Drennon, near Grassy Lick, Mrs. Margaret Lantotte, aged 55 years. Her remains were buried in the Catholic cemetery last Saturday.

Farmers are backward in their plowing; no suitable weather, except for sod. But few have sowed oats. No potatoes have been planted, nor gardens put in. If the weather continues favorable there will be some gardening done and potatoes planted this week. Uncle Joe Wells, of your city, ahead of any one on potato planting, as he planted his last fall. If it had been anyone but Mr. Wells who said he planted his potatoes last fall the people would have said that he had forgotten to dig them—like Joe Hedden did several years ago.

Campton.

F. W. Spears, of Louisville, is in the city on business.

Conner Lykins, of Morgan county, visited friends and relatives here last week.

A. F. Byrd has gone to Washington, D. C. Don't know positively what he wants, but suppose he wants to be U. S. District Attorney for the Indian Territory.

Henry Cuddy, who has been night clerk at the Farmers' Hotel, in Louisville, for several months past, has resigned his position and returned home.

Circuit Court will commence here April 24th. There are but few felony cases on the docket, but there are a great many misdemeanor cases.

Married, Thursday, Mar. 23, at the Commons House, in this place, J. B. Holton to Miss Rosa B. Byrd, Rev. J. H. Stamper officiating.

Ben F. and J. L. Sewell left Monday to enter the Jackson College. A. F. Steele, who graduated in telegraphy at Lexington a few weeks past, has accepted a position at Elk-tawa, Ky.

Dudley Lykins, of this place, went to Morgan county last week to attend the bedside of his sick father.

Prof. G. B. Stamper has been appointed Police Judge of Campton, and J. B. Gilley has been appointed Marshal.

W. B. Duff, Justice of the Peace of Wolfe county, held his regular court Friday. A large crowd in attendance. David Arty, who has been sick for three months past, is now able to be out on the streets again.

John W. Taubee's school will close in about one month. Mr. Taubee is one of the best educators in the State, and the Trustees should employ him to teach the free school, which will commence in July.

YALLER BRITCHES.

Some choice cane rockers, lovely styles, cheap. Also, a beautiful line of furniture at Eastlin's Furniture Store.

A Truth Worthy of Note.

Rev. E. E. Bonar, in the course of his sermon delivered Sunday, took occasion to say: "From the ingathering into the churches, zeal and good intentions would get to a low ebb, and after two weeks in many instances, Pinkerton Detectives would fail to identify them. In this back-slidden state, they would remain inactive, the vows made, until office was wanted. Then they would seek the pastor for recommendation as a member in good standing and of high moral character."

Ask for Landreth's Garden seed at Julian's.

Garden seeds of all kinds at C. F. Keesee & Co's.

Wool! Wool! Wanted, 100,000 pounds of wool, for which we are paying, cash, the highest market price.

35-3t Howe & Johnson.

Grand Opening of Spring and Summer Millinery.

At T. P. Martin & Co's, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 30, 31 and April 1.

Don't make a mistake and buy any other but the Jno. Deere and New Stoddard Disc Harrows at 35-2t W. W. REED'S.

Don't forget Landreth's Garden seed at Julian's.

Seed Corn.

We have some fine seed corn for sale. Golden Beauty (yellow Hickory King) (white). This corn was brought last season from Henry Deere Philadelphia, price \$1 per bushel, 34-2t Bean Bros.

Reed also sells the Stoddard Disc Harrow. 34-2t

Call and get great bargains in Glass and Chinaware. 35-2t W. W. REED.

WANTED.

50,000 pounds of wool, for which we will pay the highest cash price. R. M. & T. K. Barnes. 35-2t

Plenty of onion sets of every variety variety at 34-4t J. B. White's.

Julian sells Landreth's Best Garden seed.

Best Drugs, Best Perfumes, Best Flower seed, Best Fishing Tackle, Best Base Ball goods, Best Knives and Razors, Best Condition Powders.

In fact, the best of everything that is made.

50,000 pounds of Wool Wanted.

For which we will pay the highest market price, cash. R. M. & T. K. BARNES. 35-3t

We have just received a large shipment of Glass and China ware, direct from the manufacturers, and can and do sell at prices that defy all competition.

35-2t W. W. REED.

For Sale.

About 40 acres of good Blue grass land, part of the old Craven's place, situated on the Mayville pike, 3 1/2 miles north of Mt. Sterling.

John Webster. 35-3t Mt. Sterling, Ky.

If you want the best Disc Harrow on the market, buy the Stoddard Improved, New Climax and Figer. For sale by Ed Mitchell.

Ladies, Please Remember

The Easter opening at T. P. Martin & Co's, beginning Thursday, March 30, and continuing Friday and Saturday, March 31 and April 1.

Julian Landreth's seed only, and can not substitute.

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50,000 pounds of wool, for which we will pay the highest cash price. R. M. & T. K. Barnes. 35-2t

To loan on good real estate. 35-4t HENRY WATSON.

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Sheep in Orchards.

A correspondent asks if sheep kept in an apple orchard to pick up and eat the fallen fruit would be a sure preventive of the apple maggot so that the fruit gathered from the trees would be free from the insect? I must answer that while keeping sheep in an orchard during summer and fall would greatly tend to make the apples sound, it would not be a sure preventive under usual conditions. Not all the infested fruit falls to the ground before harvest time, much of it going into the cellar where the maggots may mature and be ready for next year's operations. If all the neighbors would keep sheep to destroy all fallen fruit and if the picked apples were all consumed and the maggots destroyed there would be none left for seed, but such thoroughness is rare among fruit-growers. Apple paring and cores thrown upon the ground in back yards or gardens tend to perpetuate such insect pests. The past season I gathered and buried most of the fallen fruit under my own trees and doubt not that such practice will help reduce the number of live insects that will be ready for business this year but I have neighbors' trees uncared for just beyond the garden fence. We are not very independent creatures in this world, after all.—N. E. Farmer.

New York Judge—You are charged with firing off your pistol on Broadway. Texan—Yes, Judge, I was just celebrating the Fourth of July. Judge—But yesterday was the Fourth of July. Texan—I know it, Judge, but I reckon I'll not be here on the Fourth of July. Judge—Oh, yes, you will, unless you pay a \$100 fine.—Texas Sittings.

"Patrick, you haven't given fresh water to the goldfish." No, Miss, they ain't drunk yet they had it ready.—Harpers Bazar.

He—If I should—ask you to marry me—She You'd make the thirtieth.—Life.

Mrs. Henry Thinkley, of Roxbury, Conn., was a bright-eyed, rosy-cheeked hearty lass of twelve years when she married Henry Thinkley, aged 16 years, 11 months ago. Her name was Lizzie Bishop. Sunday evening she broke the world's record by presenting to her husband three stout, healthy and strong-junged children. There are two girls and one boy in the set.

A strike is brewing among the operators upon the Northern Division of the Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western Railroad, and it may spread over the entire line. It is stated that the men are preparing to go out April 1. The men have been dissatisfied for some time as to the wages, but they were unable to remonstrate effectively as they were unorganized.

Kumpton McCoy, a hunter, was duck shooting a few miles below St. Joseph, Mo., when he noticed a dead dry goods box floating down the stream. He broke it open, when a dead body rolled out. In the box were five bodies, all in decomposed condition. Four of the bodies are those of men, the other that of a woman. From the marks it is supposed the people were murdered.

What a Baby is.

A London paper awarded a two-guinea prize for the best definition of a baby. The woman who won the prize sent in this answer:

A tiny feather from the wing of love dropped into the sacred lap of motherhood.

The following are some of the definitions given:

The bachelor's horror, the mother's treasure and the despotic tyrant of the most republican household.

The morning caller, noonday craver, midnight bawler.

The only precious possession that never excites envy.

The latest edition of humanity, of which every couple think they possess the finest copy.

A native of all countries who speaks the language of none.

About twenty-two inches of coo and wiggle, writhle and scream, filled with suction and testing apparatus for milk and automatic alarm to regulate supply.

A quaint little craft called Innocence, laden with simplicity and love.

A thing we are expected to kiss and look at as we enjoy it.

A little stranger with a free pass on the heart's best affection.

That which makes home happier, love stronger, patience greater, hands busier, nights longer, days shorter, purses lighter, clothes shabbier, the past forgotten, the future brighter.

The time of grafting is near at hand.

A punas soil is very generally preferred for onions.

For foliage effect, the tulip and the plane trees are among the finest.

The Hubbard squash is one of the very best for fall and winter market or home use.

The Bordeaux mixture is still preferred by many for prevention of parasitic diseases of plants.

In Meehan's Monthly it is advised not to cut an osage orange hedge until three years after it is planted.

Scientific experiments made by the New Jersey Station emphasize the importance of maturity of potato for peach-trees.

Those who have tried it say that Lonsdale's blackberry is an excellent all-around berry, being hardy, early, prolific and of good quality.

A correspondent in the Farm Journal suggests that Bordeaux mixture will prove an excellent disinfectant if applied to the cellar walls and kitchen sink.

Mr. McMillan, authority in such matters, does not think much of ash and beech trees for street planting, except the white and European species.

It is reported from the Colorado Station that a large majority of those who had the temerity to plant fruit trees along the valley of the Arkansas have reason to be encouraged by the results of their ventures.

The New England Families.

Though puritan children had but few recreations and amusements, they must have enjoyed a very cheerful, happy home life. Large families abounded. Cotton Mather says:

"One woman had not less than twenty-two children, and another had no less than twenty-five children to one husband, whereof nineteen lived to man's estate, and a third who was mother to seven-and-twenty children." Sir William Phipps was one of twenty-six children, all with the same mother.

Printer Green had only thirty children.

The Rev. John Sherman, of Watertown, had twenty-six children by two wives—twenty by his last wife.

The Rev. Samuel Willard, first minister of Groton, had twenty children, and his father had seventeen children.

Benjamin Franklin was one of a family of seventeen.

The Little Puritans rejoiced also in some very singular names, the offspring of Roger Clay being good examples: Experience, Waitstill, Preserved, Hopeswell, Wait, Thanks Desire, Unite, and Supply.

Old warfield.

W. H. Hartzell, of Missouri, wishes to learn something about the saddle sirc known in Montgomery county, Ky., as "Old Warfield." He says his information was that he was a famous saddle horse and sire, and that all his colts were marked with a dark spot on the side. He wishes to know more about him as he has a mare by him and she is marked as above. He probably refers to Forman's Warfield No. 82 in Vol. I of N. S. H. R. This horse was sired by Thomas Lewis' Warfield, he by the old race horse, Lexington—Farmers Home Journal.

Lincoln's Tomb.

The Evening Journal (Chicago) says:

"Abraham Lincoln's tomb at Springfield has fallen from its high place as the shrine of a mighty nation. The spot where rests the earthly tenement of one of the two greatest men in American history is fast falling into decay, and the stately monument erected at the capital of Illinois to commemorate the love of a people, is scarred and mutilated from the attack of vandalistic relic-hunters. His most malignant enemy in the 'lost cause' could scarcely desire more indignities heaped upon 'Honest Abe's' grave than now daily fall to his lot. The Lincoln monument has never been completed, although \$250,000 was subscribed by the American people to build it. The custodian says there is danger of the monument falling to pieces because of the defective workmanship and material put into it."

The brig Caroline Gray and the schooner Martha Innis, both of Rockland, Me., which sailed early in February for New York, have been given up for lost. Fifteen lives are thus added to the long list of those lost in the February gales.

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Pater—It's singular that whenever I want you to marry a man you object and whenever I do not want you to marry one you straightway insist on it. Phil—Yes and whenever we are agreed the man objects.—[Life's Calendar.

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